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18 petitioner, a state prisoner, is proceeding with counsel. On June 7, 2010, this court entered an order  
19 in which it denied petitioner's motions for sanctions against counsel. Docket #14. In that order, the  
court ruled in part as follows:

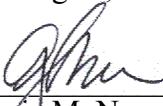
24 *Id.*, p. 1. On June 22, 2010, petitioner filed a motion for reconsideration of the court’s order of  
25 June 7, 2010 (docket #15), and a motion for change of counsel (docket #16). As was previously,  
26 explained to petitioner in the court’s order of June 7, 2010, this case is presently stayed. Because the

1 case is stayed, counsel has no present duty to file any documents in the case, or to consult with  
2 petitioner regarding the case. The court thus finds no basis for reconsideration of its prior order and  
3 no basis for a change of counsel.

4 **IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED** that petitioner's motion for reconsideration of the  
5 court's order of June 7, 2010, is **DENIED**. (Docket #15.)

6 **IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that petitioner's motion for change of counsel is  
7 **DENIED** without prejudice. (Docket #16.) Petitioner may re-file his motion for new counsel as  
8 soon as the Nevada Supreme Court renders a ruling in petitioner's case and the stay in the present  
9 case is lifted. This court will consider petitioner's motion at that time.

10 DATED this 25th day of August, 2010.

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13 Gloria M. Navarro  
14 United States District Judge

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